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1. The following production figures for lignite production in the first three quarters of 1952

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Class	Mine	Planned Production	Actual Production	Supplemental Production
I	Wildgrube	132,500 t	141,377 t	4,577 t
I	Dormsdorf	154,600 t	157,486 t	
II	Plessa	231,900 t	241,527 t	4,827 t
III	Friedenswacht-5	464,000 t	501,520 t	16,720 t
III	Friedenswacht-6	289,600 t	276,935 t	
II	Lauchhammer Ost			
	- 7	240,800 t	262,743 t	15,743 t
I	Lauchhammer Ost			
	- 8	133,400 t	139,218 t	2,618 t
III	Freundschaft	1052,000 t	1058,400 t	1,300 t
II	Tatkraft	261,100 t	266,871 t	
II	Aufstieg	292,500 t	307,275 t	8,075 t
II	Rosa Luxemburg	206,500 t	214,180 t	1,980 t
II	Impuls	208,600 t	214,463 t	
III	Menrostollen	346,700 t	251,250 t	
I	Klara Zetkin I	139,300 t	139,582 t	
II	Klara Zetkin II	296,000 t	306,951 t	1,451 t
II	Morgenrot	250,900 t	253,639 t	
III	F. Mehring	1001,500 t	967,400 t	
III	Fortschritt	485,800 t	495,633 t	
III	Briewig	357,100 t	365,385 t	

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2. Briquette production

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<u>Class</u>	<u>Factory</u>	<u>Plus or Minus Quota</u>	<u>Plus or Minus Quota in days</u>
I	Wildgrube	+8045 t	+15.4
I	Dormsdorf	-1331 t	-2.2
II	Plessa	+5013 t	+5.5
III	Friedenswacht - 5	+21315 t	+12.7
III	Friedenswacht - 6	-23011 t	-18.4
II	Lauchhammer Ost - 7	+19190 t	+20.3
I	Lauchhammer Ost - 8	+5296 t	+10.1
III	Freundschaft	+6091 t	+1.5
II	Tatkraft	-2534 t	-2.5
II	Aufstieg	+6374 t	+5.3
II	Rosa Luxemburg	+682 t	+0.8
II	Impuls	-1700 t	-2.0
III	Menrostollen	-14344 t	-10.3
I	Klara Zetkin I	-5902 t	-10.8
II	Klara Zetkin II & III	+8660 t	+7.7
II	Morgenrot	-6877 t	-7.0
III	Fr. Mehring	-137699 t	-33.1
III	Fortschritt	-6691 t	-3.5
III	Briewig	-4515 t	-3.2

3. The promise of the Lauchhammer cokery to have all ovens in production by 21 December 1952 could not be held because of a shortage of firebrick. At present, furnaces 1 to 4 are working with a daily production of 120 tons. An installation is being set up for the use of gasses liberated in the coking process. At the same time, the new chemical plant is approaching completion. Light and heavy gasoline and Diesel oil will be produced.

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Comment: Class I: mine with a production up to 700 tons per day
 Class II: mine with a production up to 1,200 tons per day
 Class III: mine with a production over 1,200 tons per day

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